



**PATENTS**  
EL 983 775 125 US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re:	Jones, <i>et al.</i>	)	<b>Notice of Allowance: February 25, 2005</b>
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Serial No.:	10/614,904	)	Art Unit: 1723
		)	
Filing Date:	July 8, 2003	)	Examiner: Therborn, Ernest G.
For:	<b>Sanitization of Chromatographic Media</b>		

**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

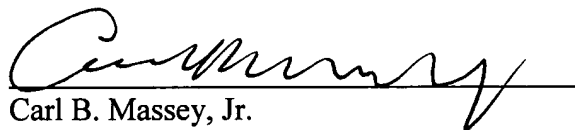
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Sir:

Applicants acknowledge the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance, but Applicants do not concede or admit that the Examiner's stated reasons are accurate or apply to all the claims, nor that the stated reasons are the only reasons for allowability of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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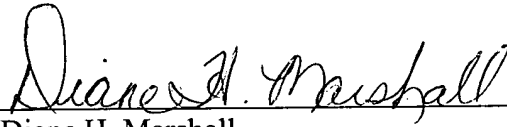
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